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## **HOMICIDE INVESTIGATION**

RIVERSIDE, CA – On Sunday, May 7, 2017, at approximately 8:41 p.m., the Riverside Police and Fire Dispatch Center received several calls regarding a shooting that just occurred inside a residence in the 3500 block of Timothy Way in Riverside. Officers arrived at the house and found a male subject suffering from gunshot wounds. He succumbed to those injuries and was pronounced deceased by the Riverside Fire Department. All other occupants of the residence were contacted.

The initial investigation determined the deceased male subject was an estranged son. He arrived at this residence and a confrontation occurred. During the confrontation, the son attacked his elderly parents inside the house. At one point, an adult male family member retrieved a firearm and fatally shot the son. The parents were transported to a local hospital for treatment of non-life threatening injuries. The adult male family member was safely detained by officers, along with a juvenile family member.

Detectives from the Robbery – Homicide Unit and Technicians from the Forensics Unit responded to assume the investigation. They are being assisted by the Riverside County District Attorney's Office and the Riverside County Sheriff-Coroner. The identity of the deceased is pending the Coroner's investigation.



This investigation is on-going and there are no other details available at this time. All parties involved in this incident are currently with detectives. If anyone has information about his investigation, please contact Detective Rick Wheeler at (951) 353-7134 or Detective Rick Cobb at (951) 353-7135.

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